

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

April 9, 1959

Adolph Meinolf, running against incumbent constable John Stream on slips in Mansfield Township created a stir by defeating Stream by a ten vote margin (69 – 59). Other incumbents elected were Francis Drake (Supervisor), Arthur Peterson (Clerk), Rose Zavada (Treasurer), Audrey Korkiamaki (Trustee) and John Kermeen (Board of Review).

Stoor Electric Company (325 Superior) has undergone extensive remodeling to add floor space and window display area. Stoor's formerly occupied half of the business level of the Eccel building, will now dominate the major portion of the building. Tony Eccel, who has operated his shoe shop in the building since 1921, will move his shoe repair operation to the rear of the store. The entire front of the building, including both display windows will be used by Dave Stoor for displaying of appliance and electrical supply items. The partition that divided the two businesses will be removed with display shelves erected on the east wall. The location dating back to the early 1900's was a boarding house run by Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson until Eccel moved "uptown" from lower Superior Avenue in 1921.